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I. In the Claims:

1. Please Amend the Following Claims:

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1. (Once Amended) An electronic component comprising an electrically conductive relief structure (3) on a surface of an electrically insulating substrate (2), which structure comprises a salt of a poly (3,4 oxygen-substituted thiophene) as electrically conductive material, wherein the relief structure (3) contains a polyacid salt of a poly-3, 4-alkylenedioxythiophene, in which the alkylene group is chosen from the group consisting of a methylene group, an 1,2-ethylene group, a 1,3-propylene group and a 1,2-cyclohexylene group, which groups are optionally substituted, and the relief structure (3) comprises at least one electrode (32).

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3. (Once Amended) An electronic component as claimed in Claim 1, characterized in that the relief structure (3) comprises neighboring tracks which lie at a distance of less than 10 μm from one another.

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4. (Once Amended) An electronic component as claimed in Claim 3, characterized in that neighboring tracks form a pair of a source and a drain electrode, at least one of which is fork-shaped, the source and the drain electrode being interdigitated.

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7. (Once Amended) An electronic component as claimed in Claim 5, characterized in that the component comprises a field effect transistor (1).

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11. (Once Amended) A method as claimed in Claim 9 or 10, characterized in that the method comprises, after the developing step, the additional step of doping said relief structure with an organic compound containing a first functional group selected from